

AF/ITW
21/26
PATENT



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Amendment/Response Transmittal

In re application of: Tatsushi Inagaki, et al.

Group Art Unit: 2126

Serial No.: 09/490,582

Examiner: P. Hoang

Filed: January 25, 2000

For: METHOD AND DEVICE TO PROCESS
MULTIDIMENSIONAL ARRAY OBJECTS

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is an Amendment/Response in the above-identified Application.

No additional fee is required.
 The filing fee has been calculated as follows:

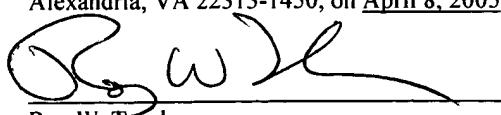
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For	Present Extra
Total	18	- 21	0
Independent	3	- 9	0
<input type="checkbox"/> First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claim			

Other Than Small Entity

Rate	Additional Fee
x \$50.00=	0.00
x \$200.00=	0.00
\$290.00	0.00
TOTAL	0.00

**CERTIFICATE OF MAILING UNDER
37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)**

I hereby certify that the enclosed or attached correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to the Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on April 8, 2005.



Roy W. Truelson

Request for Extension of Time:

Applicants respectfully request a 1 month extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated 12/21/04. Please charge Deposit Account 09-0465 in the amount of \$ 120.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Deposit Account Authorization:

Please charge Deposit Account No. 09-0465 in the amount of \$ _____, the Additional Fee calculated above. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 09-0465. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

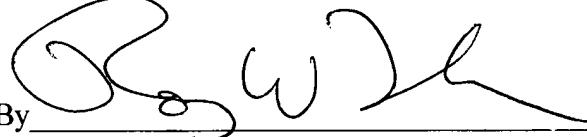
Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. §1.16.

Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

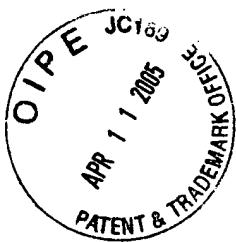
TATSUSHI INAGAKI, et al.

Date: April 8, 2005


By _____

Roy W. Truelson
Registration No.: 34,265

(507) 289-6256 voice/fax



Corres. and Mail
BOX AF

1

PATENT – AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL
Response Under 37 C.F.R. 1.116 – Expedited
Procedure – Examining Group 2126

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of: Tatsushi Inagaki, et al. : Date: April 8, 2005
Group Art Unit: 2126 : IBM Corporation
Examiner: P. Hoang : Intellectual Property Law
Serial No.: 09/490,582 : Dept. 917, Bldg. 006-1
Filed: January 25, 2000 : 3605 Highway 52 North
Title: METHOD AND DEVICE TO PROCESS
MULTIDIMENSIONAL ARRAY
OBJECTS : Rochester, MN 55901

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail in an envelope addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450, on

April 8, 2005
(Date of Deposit)

Roy W. Truelson

4/8/05

Sir:

AMENDMENT

This paper is being filed in response to the final office action dated December 21, 2004 and Advisory Action dated March 28, 2005. Please amend the above identified application as follows.

Docket No.: JA998-218
Serial No.: 09/490,582